

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: METHOD OF PRODUCING A COMPOSITE MATERIAL, A COMPOSITE MATERIAL SO PRODUCED AND ITS APPLICATION

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed November 22, 2010 by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the November 22, 2010 final Office Action is due February 22, 2011. Accordingly, this paper is being timely filed.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.